

**JACOB'S LADDERS, THE ITERATIONS OF JACOB'S LADDER
 $\varphi_1^k(t)$ AND ASYMPTOTIC FORMULAE FOR THE INTEGRALS
OF THE PRODUCTS $Z^2[\varphi_1^n(t)]Z^2[\varphi_1^{n-1}(t)] \cdots Z^2[\varphi_1^0(t)]$ FOR
ARBITRARY FIXED $n \in \mathbb{N}$**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we introduce the iterations $\varphi_1^k(t)$ of the Jacob's ladder. It is proved, for example, that the mean-value of the product

$$Z^2[\varphi_1^n(t)]Z^2[\varphi_1^{n-1}(t)] \cdots Z^2[\varphi_1^0(t)]$$

over the segment $[T, T+U]$ is asymptotically equal to $\ln^{n+1} T$. Nor the case $n = 1$ cannot be obtained in known theories of Balasubramanian, Heath-Brown and Ivic.

1. RESULTS

Let

$$(1.1) \quad y = \frac{1}{2}\varphi(t) = \varphi_1(t); \quad \varphi_1^0(t) = t; \quad \varphi_1^1(t) = \varphi_1(t), \quad \varphi_1^2(t) = \varphi_1(\varphi_1(t)),$$

$$\dots, \quad \varphi_1^k(t) = \varphi_1(\varphi_1(\dots(\varphi_1(t))\dots)), \quad t \in [T, T+U],$$

where $\varphi_1^k(t)$ denotes the k th iteration of the Jacob's ladder $y = \varphi(t)$, $t \geq T_0[\varphi_1]$. The following Theorem holds true.

Theorem. Let

$$(1.2) \quad T \geq T_{00}[\varphi_1, n] = \max\{2T_0[\varphi_1], e^{2(n+1)}\}, \quad U = T^{1/3+2\epsilon}.$$

Then for every fixed $n \in \mathbb{N}$ the following is true

$$(1.3) \quad \int_T^{T+U} \prod_{k=0}^n Z^2[\varphi_1^k(t)] dt \sim U \ln^{n+1} T, \quad T \rightarrow \infty,$$

where

$$(A) \quad \varphi_1^k(t) \geq T_0[\varphi_1], \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n+1, \quad t \in [T, T+U],$$

$$(B) \quad \varphi_1^k(T+U) - \varphi_1^k(t) \sim U, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n+1,$$

$$(C) \quad \varphi_1^{k-1}(T) - \varphi_1^k(T+U) \sim (1-c) \frac{T}{\ln T}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n,$$

$$(D) \quad \rho \left\{ [\varphi_1^{k-1}(T), \varphi_1^{k-1}(T+U)] ; [\varphi_1^k(T), \varphi_1^k(T+U)] \right\} \sim (1-c) \frac{T}{\ln T},$$

and ρ denotes the distance of the corresponding segments.

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Remark 1. The system of the iterated segments

$$[\varphi_1^n(T), \varphi_1^n(T+U)], [\varphi_1^{n-1}(T), \varphi_1^{n-1}(T+U)], \dots, [T, T+U]$$

is the disconnected set of segments distributed from right to left (see (C)) and the neighbouring segments unboundedly recede each from other (see (D), $\rho \rightarrow \infty$, as $T \rightarrow \infty$, comp. [6], Remark 3).

Remark 2. Let us mention the formula (1.3) especially for the prime numbers of Fermat-Gauss $n = 17, 257, 65537$ and for the Skewes constant

$$n = 10^{10^{34}}.$$

It is obvious that nor the formula ($n = 2$)

$$\int_T^{T+U} Z^2[\varphi_1(\varphi_1(t))] Z^2[\varphi_1(t)] Z^2(t) dt \sim U \ln^3 T$$

cannot be reached in known theories of Balasubramanian, Heath-Brown and Ivic (see [1]).

This paper is a continuation of the series of papers [2]-[7].

2. CONSEQUENCES OF THE THEOREM

Using the mean-value theorem in (1.3) we obtain

Corollary 1.

$$(2.1) \quad \prod_{k=0}^n Z^2[\varphi_1^k(\tau)] \sim \ln^{n+1} T,$$

$$T \rightarrow \infty, \varphi_1^k(\tau) \in (\varphi_1^k(T), \varphi_1^k(T+U)), k = 0, 1, \dots, n, \tau = \tau(T, n).$$

From (2.1) we obtain

Corollary 2.

$$(2.2) \quad \prod_{k=0}^n |Z[\varphi_1^k(\tau)]|^{\frac{2}{n+1}} \sim \ln T,$$

$$(2.3) \quad \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n \ln |Z[\varphi_1^k(\tau)]| \sim \frac{1}{2} \ln \ln T.$$

Next, by the known inequalities for harmonic, geometric and arithmetic means we have

Corollary 3.

$$(2.4) \quad (1 - \epsilon) \ln T \leq \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n |Z[\varphi_1^k(\tau)]|^{\frac{2}{n+1}},$$

$$(2.5) \quad \frac{1}{(1 + \epsilon) \ln T} < \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n |Z[\varphi_1^k(\tau)]|^{-\frac{2}{n+1}}.$$

Remark 3. Some new type of the nonlocal interaction of the values

$$\{Z^2[\varphi_1^k(t)]\}_{k=0}^n$$

of the signal

$$Z(t) = e^{i\vartheta(t)} \zeta \left(\frac{1}{2} + it \right)$$

over the system of disconnected segments

$$\bigcup_{k=0}^n [\varphi_1^k(T), \varphi_1^k(T+U)]$$

is expressed by formulae (1.3), (2.1)-(2.5) for the iterated Jacob's ladder $\varphi_1^k(t)$.

3. LEMMA

We start with the formula (see [2], (3.5), (3.9))

$$Z^2(t) = \Phi'_\varphi[\varphi(t)] \frac{d\varphi(t)}{dt}, \quad t \geq T_0[\varphi],$$

where (see [4], (1.5))

$$\Phi'_\varphi[\varphi(t)] = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\ln \ln t}{\ln t} \right) \right\} \ln t.$$

Next we have

$$(3.1) \quad \tilde{Z}^2(t) = \frac{d\varphi_1(t)}{dt}, \quad t \in [T, T+U], \quad U \in \left(0, \frac{T}{\ln T} \right],$$

by (1.1) we have

$$(3.2) \quad \tilde{Z}^2(t) = \frac{Z^2(t)}{2\Phi'_\varphi[\varphi(t)]} = \frac{Z^2(t)}{\left\{ 1 + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\ln \ln t}{\ln t} \right) \right\} \ln t}.$$

Then we obtain from (3.1) the following lemma (comp. [6], (2.5)).

Lemma. For every integrable function (in the Lebesgue sense) $f(x)$, $x \in [\varphi_1(T), \varphi_1(T+U)]$ the following is true

$$(3.3) \quad \int_T^{T+U} f[\varphi_1(t)] \tilde{Z}^2(t) dt = \int_{\varphi_1(T)}^{\varphi_1(T+U)} f(x) dx, \quad U \in \left(0, \frac{T}{\ln T} \right].$$

4. PROOF OF THE THEOREM

4.1. From the formula (see (1.1), (1.2), [2], (6.2))

$$(4.1) \quad t - \varphi_1^1(t) \sim (1-c)\pi(t) \sim (1-c) \frac{t}{\ln t}$$

we have

$$(4.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \varphi_1^1(t) - \varphi_1^2(t) &\sim (1-c) \frac{t}{\ln t}, \\ \varphi_1^2(t) - \varphi_1^3(t) &\sim (1-c) \frac{t}{\ln t}, \\ &\vdots \\ \varphi_1^n(t) - \varphi_1^{n+1}(t) &\sim (1-c) \frac{t}{\ln t}, \end{aligned}$$

and by (4.1) (4.2) we obtain

$$\varphi_1^{n+1}(t) > t \left\{ 1 - \frac{(1+\epsilon)(1-c)(n+1)}{\ln t} \right\} \geq T \left(1 - \frac{n+1}{\ln T} \right) \geq \frac{1}{2}T \geq T_0[\varphi_1],$$

i.e. (A).

4.2. By comparison of the formula (see [3], (1.5))

$$\int_T^{T+U} Z^2(t) dt \sim U \ln T, \quad U = T^{1/3+2\epsilon},$$

where $1/3$ is the exponent of Balasubramanian, and our formula

$$\int_T^{T+U} Z^2(t) dt \sim \{\varphi_1(T+U) - \varphi_1(T)\} \ln T,$$

(see [4], (1.2)) we have

$$\varphi_1(T+U) - \varphi_1(T) \sim U,$$

by comparison in the cases $T \rightarrow \varphi_1^1(T)$, $T+U \rightarrow \varphi_1^1(T+U)$, ... we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_1^2(T+U) - \varphi_1^2(T) &\sim \varphi_1^1(T+U) - \varphi_1^1(T), \\ &\vdots \\ \varphi_1^{n+1}(T+U) - \varphi_1^{n+1}(T) &\sim \varphi_1^n(T+U) - \varphi_1^n(T), \end{aligned}$$

i.e. (B).

4.3. By (4.2), $t \rightarrow T$ we have

$$\varphi_1^1(T) - \varphi_1^2(T) \sim (1-c) \frac{T}{\ln T},$$

i.e.

$$(4.3) \quad \varphi_1^1(T) - \varphi_1^2(T+U) + \{\varphi_1^2(T+U) - \varphi_1^2(T)\} \sim (1-c) \frac{T}{\ln T},$$

since (see (B))

$$\varphi_1^2(T+U) - \varphi_1^2(T) \sim U = T^{1/3+2\epsilon}$$

then from (4.3) the asymptotic formula

$$\varphi_1^1(T) - \varphi_1^2(T+U) \sim (1-c) \frac{T}{\ln T}$$

follows. Similarly we obtain all asymptotic formulae in (C). The proposition (D) follows from (C).

4.4. From (3.1) by (3.3) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_T^{T+U} \prod_{k=0}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^k(t)] dt = \int_T^{T+U} \prod_{k=0}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^k(t)] \tilde{Z}^2(t) dt = \\
& = \int_T^{T+U} \prod_{k=1}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^{k-1}(\varphi_1(t))] d\varphi_1(t) = \int_{\varphi_1^1(T)}^{\varphi_1^1(T+U)} \prod_{k=1}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^{k-1}(w_1)] dw_1 = \\
& = \int_{\varphi_1^1(T)}^{\varphi_1^1(T+U)} \prod_{k=2}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^{k-2}(\varphi_1(w_1))] \tilde{Z}^2(w_1) dw_1 = \\
& = \int_{\varphi_1^2(T)}^{\varphi_1^2(T+U)} \prod_{k=2}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^{k-2}(w_2)] dw_2 = \dots = \\
& = \int_{\varphi_1^n(T)}^{\varphi_1^n(T+U)} \tilde{Z}^2[w_n] dw_n = \varphi_1^{n+1}(T+U) - \varphi_1^{n+1}(T),
\end{aligned}$$

i.e. the following asymptotic formula (see (B))

$$(4.4) \quad \int_T^{T+U} \prod_{k=0}^n \tilde{Z}^2[\varphi_1^k(t)] dt = \varphi_1^{n+1}(T+U) - \varphi_1^{n+1}(T) \sim U$$

holds true. Then, from (4.4) by mean-value theorem (see (3.1), (3.2), (4.1), (4.2); $\ln \varphi_1^k(t) \sim \ln t$) the formula (1.3) follows.

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